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Pvt. Hospitals, Clinics Bandh

Agitation intensified in city

Doctors begin hunger strike but provide free ambulance service

Mysuru, Nov. 15 (OSR)- Following the ongoing agitation by private medical practitioners and private hospitals against the proposed amendment to Karnataka Private Medical Establishments (KPME) Act, a relay hunger strike has been started at JK Grounds here by private doctors of the city. Earlier, the members of the Indian Medical Association (IMA) Mysore Branch, assembled at a meeting and appointed Dr. K. Javeed Nayeem as Joint Media Spokesperson for MAHAN (Mysore Association of Hospitals, Nursing Homes, Diagnostic Centres and Clinics) and IMA Mysore Branch.

Speaking to *SOM* Dr. Javeed Nayeem said that about 70 percent of private medical establishments have already ceased to work from today. From tomorrow, there will be a complete shutdown of all private medical facilities in city including hospitals, nursing homes, poly clinics, clinics and diagnostic centre.

However, to avoid inconvenience to patients already admitted they will be attended till they recover completely or they themselves decide to leave the hospital at their will. But, in order to avoid inconvenience to patients coming to the hospitals and nursing homes from distant places the IMA will be giving vast publicity to inform that no medical service will be available till the present agitation by the doctors is called off.

In order to ameliorate the difficulties of the patients who visit the private hospitals and nursing homes, their ambulances will be available to ferry such patients to the nearest government hospitals free of cost during the entire strike period, according to Dr. Javeed Nayeem.

Government continues to be stubborn

Mysuru, Nov. 15 (RK&NNN)- The private doctors in the State have taken a serious decision to shut down all services at private hospitals, nursing homes and clinics including in-patient departments from tomorrow.

This unanimous decision was taken at a meeting of the Indian Medical Association (IMA), Mysore Branch, held at its premises on New Sayyaji Rao Road, here this morning.

IMA, Mysore member Dr. Sanjay Rajashekar told *Star of Mysore* that they were forced to take this decision as the Government was adamant in tabling the draconian KPME (Amendment) Bill ignoring most of the demands of the private doctors.

The meeting was chaired by IMA Mysore Branch President Dr. M.S. Vishweshwara. After a prolonged discussion, the doctors were forced to arrive at this most difficult decision of closing down all private medical establishments from tomorrow.

Health Minister K.R. Ramesh Kumar

(See STUBBORN on page 8)

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"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."
Editor-in-Chief: K.B. GANAPATHY B.A; B.L.
Mysuru, Wednesday 15th November 2017

War of *words* Wars with *weapons*

We don't get an insight from the pages of history or narratives in the land's epics to infer that invariably a war of *words* precedes wars with *weapons*, although incidents of wars in all past having taken place without words being exchanged between the warring parties cannot be excluded as we look back. The virtual wars that the land's political parties get engaged in to *fight* the polls for the right and privilege of representing people in the various rule-making bodies from Panchayat to Parliament, mercifully, don't feature weapons, except an occasional case of gun-shots being fired or knife thrust into unwary citizens under pro-vocation. One doesn't have to make any effort to learn about the people's pastime as it were to provoke others, except take a cursory look at the pages reporting such incidents by the dailies of the various languages, including this one. Even women have figured notoriously by their loud-mouthed fracas at the public taps in towns and villages. The languages of the land are not wanting in vocabulary specially meant to provoke warring neighbours, assertive co-passengers, persons who jump the queue and so on.

The global scene is an unmistakable canvas of war of words featuring heads of States across the world, such as the Presidents of the United States of America and North Korea, posing threat to the safety of nations in addition to theirs. Their counterparts in the form of political heavyweights within our country have made the war of words their whole-time pastime, amusing the citizens no end.

Children are known to *fight* among themselves only when they are annoyed, but they don't bear grudge for more than a few moments, a lesson which adults have grossly missed. The scores of road shows, marked by large numbers of high-decibel sloganeering protestors taking part in them has virtually stumped the attention of people at large to the many sides to life in society of our times. While the squabbling politicos stand self-ridiculed for their no-holds-barred mud-throwing at their rival detractors and the writer-fraternity berating others in the open have been a daily occurrence, the medical professionals have lately joined in the fray, for reasons putting them at *war* with the State government. The Police Department has fallen far short of their time of duty and personnel to deal with brawls and consequent criminal acts by various sections of society with its mix of faiths, tongues, ethnicity and so on.

Diseases may be taking a heavy toll of human populations both in the country and the rest of the world. The economic dimension of not keeping a check on *words* that provoke people to indulge in *brawls* locally and *wars* globally cannot hide the shame and decline of human species. Animals, the beautiful people, are managing very well, thanks to their wordless world.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

The last few days have seen a huge outpouring of words for and against demonetisation. But no one has talked about the real reason behind it, which is the sense of entitlement governments feel to take your money when they want to. Indeed, this is one of the main ideas that drive modern societies. This is because all societies entertain a central idea that is accepted without question. God is a good example in the field of religion, although it is possible to have a religion without God, namely, Marxism, which merely replaces God with the State. The underlying justifying principle is omniscience. But both God and the State need agents — priests in one case and politicians in the other, along with their enforcers, the bureaucrats. And that's where the principle comes unstuck. *— T. C. A. Srinivasa-Raghavan in the Business Standard.*

NEWS SPARKLERS

"Fan death"

Chaiyaphum province: A 44-year-old Thai man reportedly died of hypothermia after going to bed on a cold floor with three electric fans flowing air at him all through the night.

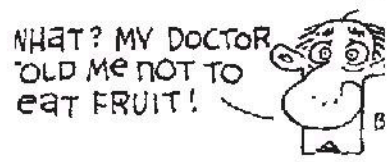
Sobthawee Boonkua, from Tambon Nai Muang, in Thailand's Chaiyaphum province, had gone to look after his 86-year-old mother, at a relative's house, and decided to spend the night. Due to the heat in the poorly ventilated room, the 44-year-old decided to sleep on the floor and plug in no less than three electric fans to keep cool. Unfortunately, Chaiyaphum's drastic drop in temperature at night, his body couldn't adjusted to it. Sobthawee's cold body was found last Friday morning, by a relative who immediately called an ambulance and the Police. Lt. Colonel Thanasit Apiboonworaset of Muang Chaiyaphum Police arrived at the scene. After examining the body and interrogating members of his family, the medical examiner concluded that the man had died of hypothermia, because his body couldn't adjust to the sudden difference in temperature and had gone into shock.

Jackpot offer !

California: Joe Cohen, the young CEO of a California based company called SelfHacked, is looking for a suitable girlfriend, and he is offering $10,000 to whoever points him in the right direction. He is also offering $2,000 to anyone who can introduce him to someone else who can connect him with a woman. 30-year-old Cohen has created a very complex dating advert on his blog, in which he explains why he opted for this unusual way of finding a romantic partner, what he looks for in a woman, as well as details about himself. He also mentions that he will only pay out the reward if he successfully dates the woman for at least four months. That is apparently the amount of time it takes Cohen to get to know someone, and will also protect him against women just looking to earn some money. Cohen ideal woman should be childless, under 5'9, and aged between 20 and 30. The advert also mentions that a self-aware, funny, and not materialistic woman.

HEALTH CAPSULE by Bron Smith

Should type-2 diabetics restrict fruit consumption?



A Biomed Central study demonstrated that when participants ate a piece of fruit with a high glycemic meal, it lowered postprandial blood sugar by 15-30%. Another study put diabetic participants on two servings of fruit per day for several weeks with no adverse effects, but possible benefits.

**Health Capsules is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature.*

Ati Rudra Yaga at Avadhoota Datta Peetha from Nov. 16 to 26

Mysuru, Nov.15-As part of the Diamond Jubilee Year celebrations (75th year) of Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji, *Ati Rudra Yaga* will be conducted at Avadhoota Datta Peetha in city from Nov. 16 to 26, coinciding with *Nakshatra Ishti* rituals being performed presently from Nov.4 to Dec. 8, for the well-being of the society.

Rudra is a synonym of Lord Shiva and also stands for *Jeevatma* and *Paramatma*. *Agni* (fire) is a representative form of *Rudra*. *Rudra Yaga* will be conducted by chanting 169 mantras as per the rituals prescribed in *Yajurveda Samhita*. In these mantras, Lord Shiva is extolled as the forces of nature, such as Earth, Energy and Wind with their derivatives, referred as the aspects of *Rudra*.

Shatarudreeya Mantra Parayana / Homa with *Vasordhaara* and pacifies the ferocious forms of *Rudra* and pleasing the peaceful aspects of Lord Shiva, resulting in prosperity and well-being.

The method of *Ati Rudra Yaga* require 121 *ritwiks* (pundits) reciting 11 times *Rudra* mantras, performing rituals in 11 *Homa Kundas* daily for 11 days. The other worships like *Ekadasa Rudrabhisheka, Veda parayana, Bilwarchana, Ashtavadhana Seva, Shata Chandi Parayana, Nama Sankeertana, Annadana* are part of *Ati Rudra Yaga*, every day.

Sri Ganapathy Swamiji

Listening to *Rudra* mantras, watching *Homas* are for the betterment of life, health, wealth and to overcome sorrows and miseries. *Ati Rudra Yaga* is also aimed to achieve world peace and betterment of humanity, as a whole. The rituals are conducted under the guidance of Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji and Sri Datta Vijayananda Teertha Swamiji at the Poundarika Rangastala of Sri Ganapathy Ashrama, Mysuru.

Ati Rudra Yaga schedule: 7 am – Homa, 12 noon – Purnahuti, 5 pm – Pujas, 6.30 pm – Bhajans and Namasankeertana.

Really...?

- ***In the condition myiasis, maggots hatch out and live under the skin. They can even be seen wriggling around. In 1993, doctors in Boston, USA, developed a treatment for myiasis that involved covering the skin with bacon. Maggots like the bacon, so come up towards it. Doctors then pull them out with tweezers. Gross!***
- ***Every day, you produce enough saliva in your mouth to fill five cups.***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Santa at an interview...
Interviewer: *Imagine, in a closed room, how can you escape if it caught fire?*
Santa: *Simple, stop imagining!!*

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VOICE OF THE READER

Reduce travel time between Bengaluru-Mysuru train journey

Sir,

The train journey from Bengaluru to Mysuru takes about two-hours-and-forty-five minutes to three hours whether it is a Passenger, Express or Superfast one. Even the introduction of double track or electrification will not help to reduce the journey time because of platform problems in Mysuru City Junction.

All the trains are parked at outer (that is, near Sankalp Apartments in Yadavagiri) for nearly 20 to 45 minutes. Tipu Express will come to above said outer within 2 hours 10 minutes but parked at outer for more than 30 minutes for platform problems. At this place some people try to get down from trains and risk their lives. This is a genuine problem of Railways and passengers.

Let all the trains be parked for some required time at outer for the convenience of Railways. I would like to suggest the Railways to provide some ambiance at the outer, that is alighting platform, auto stand and flyover so by that many passengers (nearly 50 to 80 percent) can alight at this place and reduce their journey time safely. Then only the real benefits of double tracks and electrification of the tracks can be obtained.

—H.R.Raviprakash

Metagalli 12.11.2017

Head Constable returns bribe after complaint to PMO

Cop had accepted a bribe of Rs. 20,000 from a planter threatening to file a false complaint

Madikeri (Kodagu), Nov. 15- A Police Head Constable in Kodagu is in soup after a complaint was lodged against him with the Prime Minister's Office (PMO). The Head Constable had accepted Rs. 20,000 bribe from a planter after threatening to file a false complaint against him.

The incident occurred at Virajpet Rural Police Station and the Head Constable has been identified as Praveen, who had taken Rs. 20,000 from planter Kattera P. Somanna, a resident of Arameri Village near Virajpet.

One Suresh Naika, a mason from Periyapatna, was working at the bathroom behind Somanna's house. Suresh Naika accidentally fell from the 5-ft bathroom wall while he was cementing a portion. He was immediately rushed to a hospital where he breathed his last.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi

Following his death, a case of accident was registered at the Virajpet Rural Police Station based on the complaint filed by Suresh Naika's father Mahadeva Naika. Somanna, on humanitarian grounds, paid Rs. 50,000 compensation to Suresh Naika's family and also gave Rs. 20,000 towards hospital and funeral expenses.

Meanwhile, Head Constable Praveen telephoned Somanna and summoned him to the Police Station where he was told that a criminal case will be booked against him if he did not "give a gift" to his (Praveen's) higher officer. And he would have to face the law for years if he did not pay up. Sensing the danger of an imminent criminal case, despite paying the victim's family a compensation for the accidental death, Somanna paid Head Constable Praveen Rs. 20,000 to save himself from the Police torture.

Returning home after paying the bribe, Somanna lodged an online complaint with the Grievances Redressal Portal of the PMO, New Delhi and narrated the whole bribery incident. Following PMO's intervention, the Head Constable quietly returned Rs. 20,000 to Somanna.

Mysurean to Head Equifax India

Nanaiah

Mysuru, Nov.15- K. M. Nanaiah of Mysuru was on Monday appointed as the Country Head of Mumbai-based Equifax Inc., a global information solutions company. Equifax India, which leverages high velocity analytics, business intelligence solutions, and industry leading data, is on an upward trajectory and unveiling a variety of new solutions.

Prior to Renoir, Nanaiah served as MD, Pitney Bowes, India, where he set up and led the country business unit for over ten years.

Kalengada M. Nanaiah is a resident of Kaveri Apartments in Jayalakshmipuram and son-in-law of Wg. Cdr. Mundumada D. Aiyanna and Tulsi, residing in Gokulam, Mysuru.

Workshop on 'Modi lipi' from tomorrow

Mysuru, Nov.15 (BNR)- Karnataka State Archives Department has organised a workshop on 'Modi lipi' at the Department's Mysuru Divisional Office in Vishweshwaranagar here from Nov.16 to Nov.18. State Archives Department-Bengaluru Director N.R. Vishukumar will inaugurate the workshop at 10.30 am tomorrow. DC D. Randeep will release a book on 'Modi lipi,' a script used to write Marathi language, which is the primary language spoken in Maharashtra. Archives Department Mysuru Divisional Office Dy. Director Dr. J.V. Gayatri will be the chief guest. State Archives Department-Bengaluru Dy. Director Dr. S. Ambujakshi will preside.

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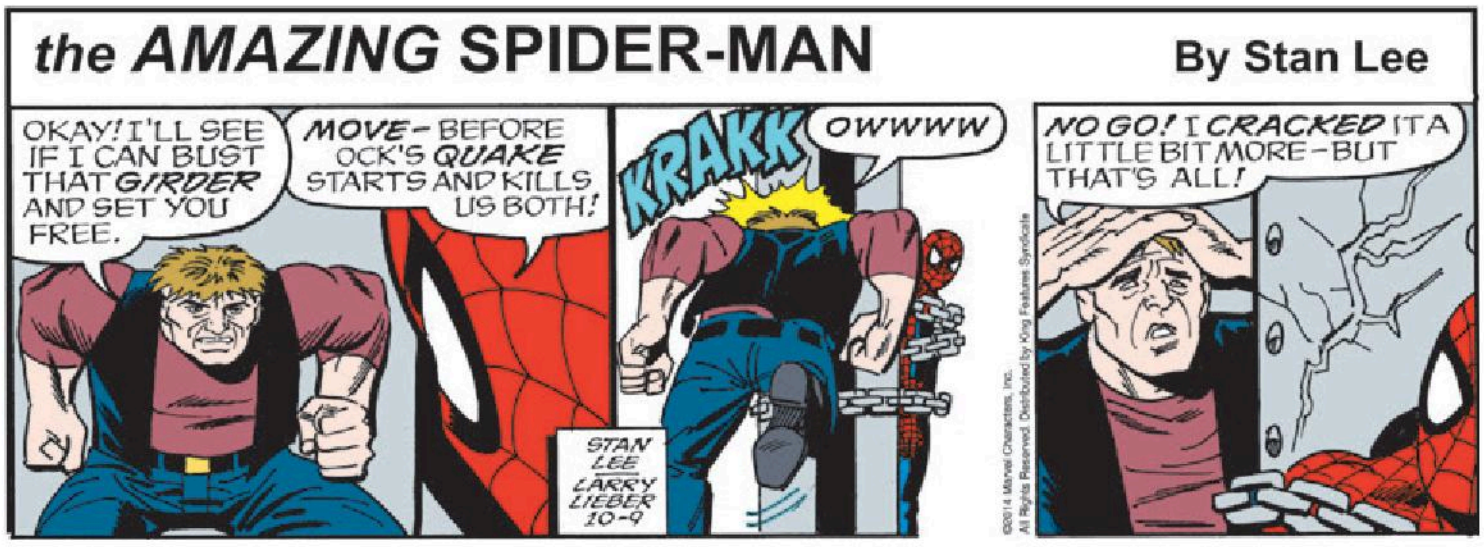
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NEWS BRIEFS

ZP meeting

The general meeting of the Zilla Panchayat (ZP) will be held on Nov. 18 at 11 am which will be chaired by the ZP President Nayeema Sulthana.

Cancer clinic

Preethi Cancer Centre has organised a free Cancer Detection Clinic at #873, Vani Vilas Road, Lakshmipuram, on Nov.16 (Thursday) between 10 am and 8 pm. For details, contact Ph: 0821-4259259.

Auction of scrapped vehicle

The Forest Department, intends to dispose a scrapped Mahindra vehicle (KA-01 G-1996) through public auction on Nov.29 at 11 am. The tender form can be obtained on Nov. 26 and 27 on payment of a fee of Rs.250. For details, contact Ph: 08272-228505 (Madikeri) or RFO's office in Mysuru.

Calling Data Entry Operators

Mysuru Taluk Panchayat has invited applications for appointment of one Data Entry Operator to each of the 37 Gram Panchayats in the taluk. The application form can be downloaded from rdpr.kar.nic.in and also from Zilla Panchayat, Taluk Panchayat or Gram Panchayat and submit the filled-in forms to the Panchayat Development Officer (PDO) of the respective Gram Panchayat along with a DD/ Postal Order for Rs.150 before Nov.30, according to a press release.

'Harate' programme

Mysuru-based Sahitya Dasoha has organised the famous 'Harate' programme headed by Hiremagalur Kannan as part of Sahitya Dasoha's silver jubilee celebrations. This apart, the organisers will also release the book 'Sahitya Sambhrama.' The event will be held at Hoysala Karnataka Sangha Mini Auditorium on Narayana Shastri Road at 10 am on Nov.19. For details, contact M.R. Anand on Mob: 99860-02632.

Diploma in Co-op. Management

The Karnataka Institute of Co-operative Management, Chamaraja Double Road, has invited applications from eligible members of the public and staff of Co-operative Societies and Banks, for 6-month diploma course in Co-operative Management. Minimum qualification is a pass in SSLC. Last date for applying is Nov. 30. For details, call Ph:0821-2520563.

Office shifted

The H.D. Kote Excise Inspector's Office at Bovi Colony has been shifted to 2784/3101 on Tharaka Road behind Urdu School, according to press release.

Toddler's presence of mind saves her friend from drowning

Three-year-old Chandana alerts her father for help

Saviour Chandana

The pond from where Reetha was rescued.

Survivor Reetha

Bharathinagar, Nov.15 (Satish&NNN)- This is the story of two toddler friends, one showing exemplary presence of mind and the other extraordinary power of survival that first caught the attention of everyone in their village and now has become centre stage.

The story unfolds on Nov.10 when a three-year-old who steps on cow dung goes to a nearby pond to wash it off, slips into the water and saved by her three-year-old friend.

The two are studying in an Anganwadi School and are close friends. The toddler who has survived is Reetha, daughter of Chandrashekar and Vinutha couple in Annuru village, near Malavalli in Mandya district. The other toddler, who with her presence of mind, saved her friend is Chandana, daughter of Ajit Kumar and Shilpa couple from the same village.

Incident: On Nov.10, both Reetha and Chandana went out in the evening to a nearby shop to buy some eatables. On their way back, Reetha stepped on the cow dung, which stuck to her chappals. She immediately went to a nearby pond close to her house and tried to wash the chappals. She has slipped and fallen into the water.

Chandana, who saw her friend falling into the water tried to save her by pulling her but as she failed, she immediately ran to her friend's house and informs her (Reetha's) father.

Reetha's father thinking that it is a child's prank, refuses to believe Chandana that his daughter had drowned. The three-year-old then runs to her father Ajit Kumar and informs him in the stuttering child's language about her friend falling into the water. Luckily, he trusts his daughter and rushes to the pond.

As he steps into the water, Reetha's body touches his feet. He immediately pulls her out. However, she has already gulped a lot of water and is unconscious. Meanwhile, Reetha's parents on hearing about the incident reach the place and seeing the toddler unconscious and fearing the worst, they start crying.

However, Ajit Kumar, instead of wasting time tries to pump the water out from the mouth by administering first-aid. Then they have rushed Reetha to the hospital in Bharthinagar. Luckily, she has regained consciousness on the way to the hospital. Later, she is shifted to a hospital in Mandya for further treatment. After two days of treatment, she returns home escaping from the jaws of death.

Villagers, on learning about the incident, were praising Chandana for her presence of mind that saved her friend. On the other hand, though Reetha was in the water for almost 20 minutes before Ajitkumar came for her rescue, not too much of water had entered her body and that is how she could survive, said the villagers.

Both the farmers' families heaved a sigh of relief and there was a joy all round in Annuru village with this pleasant turn of events.

Though there is a eight-feet deep pond in front of the children's houses, it has not been fenced. The villagers expressed their displeasure with the Gram Panchayat officials for their negligent attitude. At least now, they hope that a proper action will be taken.

Bravery award

Gram Panchayat former President Chandrashekar speaking to *Star of Mysore* said that both the children Chandana and Reetha be recommended for bravery award as it falls under the category "meritorious acts of bravery against all odds."

Injection leads to girl's death at H.D. Kote

Police book suo-moto case; four clinics closed

Ankusha

H.D. Kote, Nov.15 (Rajesh& BCT)- Two days after a 21-year-old girl succumbed to infection following an injection administered by a doctor at Hampapura in H.D. Kote, the H.D. Kote Police have booked a suo-moto case against the doctor, allegedly a quack.

The doctor, identified as Dr. Raju, is on the run now and he has vacated the clinic at Hampapura and has even removed the clinic's signboard. The H.D. Kote Police have registered a criminal case under IPC Section 304 (culpable homicide not amounting to murder).

It may be recalled here that Ankusha from Kalihundi village of Hampapura hobli died after Dr. Raju administered an injection to her thighs following severe fever. The place where she was injected became a lump and puss started oozing out. She was shifted to a private hospital in Mysuru and she died on Nov. 13 as her condition turned critical and failed to respond to the treatment.

Sources said that Ankusha's parents did not lodge a Police complaint and went ahead and cremated her after the doctor promised compensation.

But the H.D. Kote Police voluntarily took up the case after media published reports of Ankusha's death.

Alerted by the reports, Mysuru District Health Officer (DHO) Dr. B. Basavaraju said that based on his directives, the H.D. Kote Taluk Health Officer Dr. Ravi raided five clinics run by quacks and have sealed them.

The DHO said that as per the present Karnataka Private Medical Establishments (KPME) Act, there is no provision to legally deal with quacks.

Dr. Basavaraju said that there were reports that Dr. Raju was a quack and action would be taken against him once the Taluk Health Officer submits a report.

"We have warned quacks that criminal cases will be booked against them if they continued their illegal practice," Dr. Basavaraju said and added that people can approach the Police in case they come across quacks.

Tahsildar Nanjundaiah, H.D. Kote Circle Inspector Harish, Sub-Inspector V.C. Ashok and team participated in the raid and closed down Durga Clinic in Saragur run by Dr. Chaitra who had only Ayurvedic practitioner licence, Sanchita Clinic run by one Dr. Vikas at Hampapura, Health Day Care Clinic run by Dr. H.B. Ramachandra and Dr. Madhusudhan and Mathrushree Clinic run by Dr. Ramachandra.

Rush at PHC

As many private clinics have now been shut, villagers are visiting Primary Health Centre (PHC) in Hampapura for treatment where only one Doctor by name Dr. Ranjitha is serving at present.

Ban on stone quarrying and transportation

Mandya MP threatens Mines and Geology Official

90-second video clip goes viral on social media

Mandya, Nov.15 (NG&VNS)- Mandya MP C.S. Puttaraju allegedly threatened Department of Mines and Geology Official Nagabhushan of dire consequences for initiating action against illegal stone quarry in the district.

Puttaraju

The 90-second video clip of the MP allegedly threatening the official has gone viral on social media. However, the video does not show MP Puttaraju, but some of the officials, on condition of anonymity confirmed the news.

In fact, while the MP was threatening the official, Mandya DC Manjushree, Additional DC and other officials were just mute spectators. The MP was so rude the he is also said to have used foul language at Nagabhushan before threatening to block the Bengaluru-Mysuru Highway.

A meeting with the miners was held at the Deputy Commissioner's office yesterday to urge DC Manjushree to lift the restrictions. The meeting was attended by Assistant Commissioners, senior officials of Revenue Department and quarry operators.

It may be recalled that the District Administration has banned stone quarry and transportation till Dec.10 in Panadavapura following several violations by the miners.

It may be recalled that Mandya DCF Dhananjay, during July this year, had filed a complaint against MP Puttaraju alleging that he threatened the Forest Officers of dire consequences if they forcibly shut down his illegal quarries in Babyhill Amruth Kaval deemed forest area.

G. Madhusudan's remarks on Constitution

Dalit organisations urge Police to file case against ex-MLC

Members of various Dalit organisations staging protest in front of K.R. Police Station yesterday.

Mysuru, Nov. 15 (YDS&DM)- Strongly condemning former BJP MLC G. Madhusudan's alleged remarks while speaking to a TV channel, that a Constitution which mentions Tipu as freedom fighter cannot be honoured, members of various Dalit organisations staged a protest in front of K.R. Police Station here yesterday urging the Police to file a case against the former MLC.

Claiming that the entire world has acknowledged the Constitution of India scripted by Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, they alleged that Madhusudan's alleged remarks against the Constitution has threatened the unity of the country besides humiliating Dr. Ambedkar.

The protesters alleged that despite lodging complaint with the Police, the Cops had not registered an FIR and demanded the Police to register the same and warned of continuing the protest if they (Police) failed to do so.

Meanwhile, K.R. Inspector Prakash told the protesters that there are no required information in the complaint to register an FIR and asked the protesters to withdraw their stir, but in vain.

K.R. Sub-Division ACP Dharmappa, who arrived at the Police Station, collected information and went through the video which is produced as a witness to the allegations and said that the video does not have necessary information to register an FIR.

Members of Dalita Sangarsha Samiti (DSS), Samvidhana Samrakshana Horata Samiti, Dalita Vidyarthi Vedike and other Dalit organisations took part in the protest.

On Monday, members of Samvidhana Samrakshana Horata Samiti had staged a demonstration in front of former MLC G. Madhusudhan's residence at Agrahara here seeking action against the ex-MLC for his irresponsible remarks against the Constitution.

K.R. Police, on learning about the protest, rushed to the spot and had provided security to Madhusudan's residence.

DSS had also staged a demonstration in front of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar statue in Town Hall premises over the same issue.

BSNL employees to form human-chain tomorrow

Mysuru, Nov.15- In order to press for fulfilment of their demands and against the anti-labour attitude of the Union Government, BSNL employees, under the banner of BSNLAll-Unions and Associations, Mysuru Telecom District, will form a human-chain at Mathru Mandali Circle, V.V. Mohalla, at 1.30 pm tomorrow (Nov.16).

Strongly condemning the floating of a subsidiary tower company and the anti-labour policies of the Union Government, the employees have urged the Centre to constitute the third Pay Commission and to promote public sector undertakings, according to a release.

Cash, gold worth lakhs of rupees stolen in separate incidents

Mysuru, Nov. 15 (SPN&KS)- In separate incidents, miscreants have stolen cash, electronic items and gold ornaments worth lakhs of rupees by breaking into houses in N.R. and K.R. Police limits in city.

The miscreants who broke into the houses have decamped with 145 grams gold ornaments, Rs. 40,000 cash and electronic items worth about Rs. 75,000 from the houses.

In the first incident, miscreants, who broke into the house of one Kalidas at Subashnagar, coming under N.R. Police limits, have decamped with 145 grams gold ornaments and Rs. 40,000 cash.

Kalidas, on Nov.10 evening, had locked the house and had gone to Tamil Nadu along with his family. When he returned on Nov.13, he found the front door of the house broken and on entering the house, he learnt about the gold ornaments and cash missing, following which, he lodged a complaint at N.R. Police Station.

In the second incident, miscreants have made away with electronic items from the house of one Mohammed Shahid on Uttaradi Mutt Road in Khille Mohalla here.

Shahid on Oct.17 had gone out along with his family. When he returned in the evening, he found the front door of the house broken and on entering and examining the house, he found a Lenovo laptop, Apple iPad, projector, Gionee touch screen mobile phone, Samsung VR mobile virtual reality headset, Jio Hotspot device and Hi-Tech keypad mobile missing and lodged a complaint with K.R. Police in this regard.

Obituary

Nanjamma

Mysuru, Nov.15- Nanjamma, mother of former City Congress General Secretary Jayakumar, passed away yesterday in city.

She leaves behind six sons including Jayakumar, three daughters and a host of relatives and friends. Last rites were performed at Gandhinagar Burial Grounds here this morning.

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Dy.SP M.K. Ganapathy's death

CBI recovers bullet from Madikeri lodge

Recovery of bullet nearly a year-and-a-half after the incident raises questions on botched up probe

Sleuths from the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) leave the lodge yesterday where Dy.SP M.K. Ganapathy was found dead. The CBI team found a bullet inside the room where the Police officer was staying.

M.K. Ganapathy

Madikeri, Nov. 15- Officers of the Special Crime Branch of Central Bureau of Investigation (Chennai Zone), who yesterday visited the lodge in Madikeri where Dy.SP M.K. Ganapathy's body was found hanging on July 7, 2016, have reportedly found a bullet in his room. The CBI team is headed by Dy.SP G. Kalaimani.

Ganapathy was found hanging in room number 315 of the Vinayaka Lodge near the Madikeri Private Bus Stand. Ganapathy had given an interview shortly before to a local television channel making various accusations against Minister K.J. George and two senior police officers, Pranab Mohanty and A.M. Prasad.

Experts from the Forensic Science Laboratory (FSL), Delhi, accompanied CBI sleuths to the crime scene and conducted a mahazar during which the bullet was recovered from the bed, sources in the lodge confirmed.

A 10-member team, including CBI officials, spent almost the entire day at the lodge yesterday. As soon as the CBI team arrived in Madikeri yesterday, Ganapathy's brother Satish Machaiah was informed and the team collected basic information. Later, Madikeri Town Circle Inspector I.P. Medappa and Inspector M. Bharath were taken to Vinayaka Lodge.

The room, which was opened for the lodge's customers after the CID submitted a 'B report' closing its investigation into the case, was seized by the CBI sleuths, who thoroughly examined it in the presence of Ganapathy's family members.

The CBI team also questioned two men, Jagan and Belliappa from the lodge, who had provided evidence in the case as well as the doctor who conducted the autopsy, Tahsildar Girija, who held the inquest. The CBI team grilled Circle Inspector I.P. Medappa and Inspector M. Bharath and re-created the crime scene at the lodge.

The team questioned the Police officers why the employees of the lodge were not interrogated. The team asked the Police officers to describe the events that occurred on the day of the Dy.SP's death on July 7, in which of the two ceiling fans the body was found, how come a belt was used to hang, how was it brought down, who were among present at the time, who informed them about the death and all the other details.

Examining the room inch-by-inch, the forensic experts found the bullet on the bed, sources said. Out of the 10 rounds in Ganapathy's 9 mm service pistol, two bullets were fired and the empty cartridges were found during the initial mahazar conducted by the Police and the CID. Yesterday, one more bullet (the third) was found by the forensic team.

Amidst allegations by Opposition-BJP that the investigations by the State Police were botched up, the recovery of a new bullet from the crime scene nearly a year-and-a-half after the incident, is only expected to further raise questions.

However, a senior Police official in Kodagu said Ganapathy had fired two rounds from his service revolver before he allegedly hanged himself to death. During the earlier investigations at the crime scene, the sleuths had recovered empty cartridges. The CBI team may have recovered a bullet that had been embedded in the bed, the Police officer said. Also, the lodge room had been in use by customers for the last eight months.

While his service revolver was on the bed below the ceiling fan where he was found hanging from, the Police confirmed that shots had been fired from the revolver. CID investigations later inferred that Ganapathy, who was in full uniform while hanging himself, had fired at the bed with his revolver, in a last minute survival mechanism by the body.

Sources at Vinayaka Lodge said that the room was locked up till the CID completed its probe in September 2016, but later rented out to customers. "It was again locked up two weeks ago after CBI officials started their probe and instructed us to do so," an employee said. The CBI took over the probe into the case in the third week of October, following a Supreme Court direction.

Mystery deepens

The mystery of this "suicide" has further deepened as there is no investigation report of the 3 shots fired out of a service pistol of 9 mm calibre which is a very powerful and loud weapon when fired. It is surprising that nobody heard the gun shot and reacted.

Justice K.S. Keshava Narayana Judicial Commission grills Kodagu SP

Bengaluru, Nov. 15- Close on the heels of CBI team beginning a detailed investigation into the alleged suicide of Dy.SP M.K. Ganapathy, Justice (retired) K.S. Keshava Narayana Judicial Commission that was formed by the State government to probe the case interrogated Kodagu Superintendent of Police P. Rajendra Prasad in Madikeri on Monday.

SP FUMBLES

Sources said that Rajendra Prasad was grilled for four hours by the one-man Commission and the **SP was found fumbling for answers on the suicide** and the Police investigation that followed later. The Commission's interrogation comes following the collection of crucial evidence. The Commission questioned the SP if it was a serious case. To this, the SP replied that he got to know about Ganapathy's death at 8.30 pm on July 7, 2016 and arrangements were made to shift the body after inquest.

P. Rajendra Prasad

Justice Keshava Narayana questioned the SP considering the seriousness of the case, why forensic experts were not summoned. He told the SP that when **forensic experts were available in Mangaluru and Bengaluru why their services were not requested.**

He also questioned why fingerprints on the doors of the lodge room where the Police officer was found dead were not collected as additional evidence along with fingerprints on the ceiling fan, Ganapathy's pistol and his belt.

Taken aback by the intensive questioning, SP Rajendra Prasad told the Commission that it was a clear case of suicide as Ganapathy's clothes were not crumpled. The SP supported his theory with the statements of Ganapathy's father and brother at it was a suicide case as Ganapathy was depressed.

Justice Keshava Narayana then questioned the SP that if the clothes were not crumpled, how can one conclude that it is a suicide case. He told the SP that there were chances of **someone poisoning Dy.SP Ganapathy.** Sources said that the SP told the Commission that all formalities and procedures were followed as per law by the Investigating Officer.

4-year-old falls from auto, dies

Hunsur, Nov. 15 (Raghu)- Four-year-old Arya, a student of Little World Kindergarten, who had suffered severe head injuries after falling from a moving autorickshaw, succumbed to injuries at a private hospital in city yesterday night.

Arya

According to Police, Arya was traveling towards his home after attending Children's Day celebrations when the balloon he was holding flew out of the auto and Arya, in a bid to catch hold of the balloon, fell from the auto at around 4.30 pm.

Soon, he was rushed to a private hospital in city, where he died at around 8.15 pm.

Arya was the son of Dinesh and Sunitha couple, residents of Ganesha Temple road in Hunsur.

GREENS cry foul over Railway line cutting through Kodagu

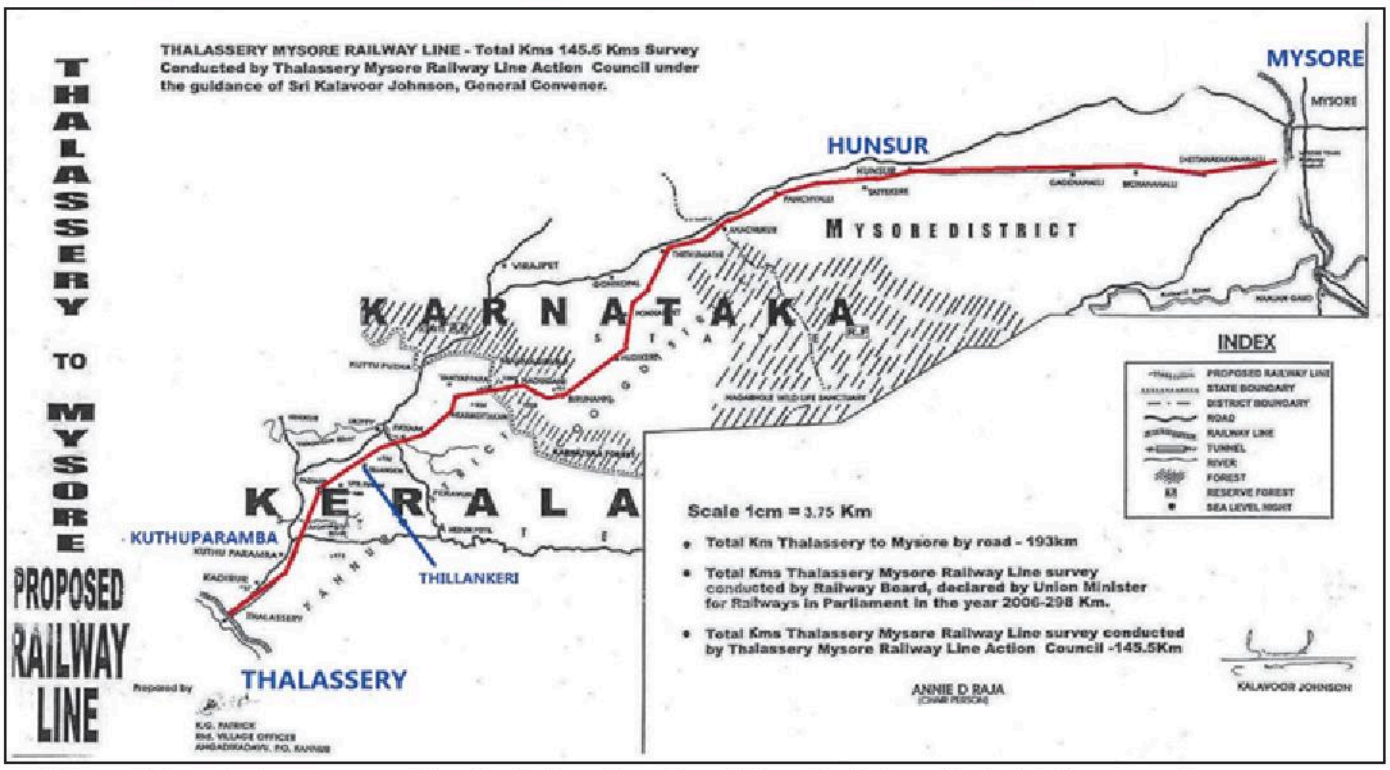
Mysuru, Nov. 15 (BCT) - Following the announcement of a survey work for the proposed Thalassery-Mysuru Railway line that will pass through Kutta, Kanoor, Balele and Thithimathi in Kodagu district cutting across thick forest area, Green groups in Kodagu have opposed the project. They have threatened even to stop the survey work that will be a prelude to the destruction of Kodagu.

The agreement to go ahead with the survey and prepare a Detailed Project Report was reached last week following a high-level meeting between officials led by Kerala Chief Secretary K.M. Abraham and Karnataka Chief Secretary Subhash Chandra Khuntia in Bengaluru.

Speaking to *Star of Mysore*, **Col. (Rtd.) C.P. Muthanna of Coorg Wildlife Society** said it was unfortunate that the Railway line was coming up cutting Kodagu despite Kodagu District In-charge Minister M.R. Seetharam assuring him a couple of times that Railways will not be allowed to enter Kodagu.

"I had met the Minister at the District Coffee Growers' Association meeting that was held recently and he had assured me that the ecology of Kodagu will be safeguarded at any cost. Despite this, it is surprising that the Chief Secretaries of Karnataka and Kerala have signed an agreement and have ordered a survey," he said.

Muthanna said that a Minister is always powerful than the Chief Secretary. "We are left wondering who is more powerful here. While the Minister says that Railways will not be allowed inside Kodagu, the Chief Secretary goes ahead and signs the agreement," he said and added that the Minister had even assured him that he would write to the Centre, opposing the Railway line.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"Kodagu, being an eco-sensitive and fragile district, is already facing man-elephant conflict as forests are devastated. The recent destruction was brought about by the high-tension power line that has passed through Kodagu connecting Mysuru and Kozhikode. This project resulted in a loss of over 50,000 trees. Now the Railway line will spell doom for Kodagu and will further increase the man-animal conflict," he added.

The proposed Railway line between Thalassery and Mysuru will link the proposed line from Kushalnagar to Mysuru for which the survey has already been completed. The Mysuru-Madikeri Railway line was listed in the Railway Budget 2016-17 under 'new line' category at an estimated cost of Rs. 667 crore. Though the techno-economic survey was completed, the project — originally mooted over 100 years ago — did not gain further traction. The funding was to be made under the extra budgetary allocation, but it is stuck in the maze of bureaucracy.

Similarly, the Mysuru-Thalassery Railway line was suggested almost 60 years ago but it remained on paper. The project has political and public support in Kerala as it reduces the travel time between North Kerala and Bengaluru.

All these years, Karnataka government had been pussy-footing the project saying the project would destroy the Nagarahole National Park as the line cuts through it at a couple of places. Now the governments of Karnataka and Kerala have agreed on a survey as per the new alignment that will bypass forestland and national parks and other ecologically-sensitive zones.

600 NCC cadets converge in Mysuru for inter-group camp

Mysuru, Nov. 15 (VNS)- The National Cadet Corps (NCC), Mysuru Group, has been conducting the inter-group competitions for Karnataka and Goa Directorate. The camp, which began on Nov. 9 at Ursu Boarding School in city, will culminate on Nov. 18.

About 600 cadets from six groups — Bengaluru, Mangaluru, Ballari, Mysuru, Belagavi and Goa are vying to compete against each other in various events such as Military Drill, Cultural Programmes, Tent Area and Flag Area which showcases the State of Karnataka and Goa.

The teams from Karnataka and Goa are accompanied by senior officers and are headed by Deputy Director General Col. S. Nandakumar, who will be judging the events and selecting the cadets.

Col. M.K. Belliappa, Group Commander of Mysuru Group, informed that it was a prestigious competition where the best of cadets are selected to participate in the Republic Day camp.

He said that it was a dream for every NCC cadet to represent the State on the Republic Day parade and added NCC was an excellent platform for cadets and students to improve their discipline, self-confidence and personality and is completely sponsored by the State and Central Governments.

The results of the competitions will be announced on Nov. 16. The cadets are subjected to various kinds of drills to make sure they get ready for D-day. This apart, the selected cadets will also get to take part in the National Integration Awareness Programme (NIAP) where they get to showcase the cultural diversity of both Karnataka and Goa. Currently, the camp is being conducted under the supervision of Camp Commandant Lt. Col. Jagadish G. Nair, who is also the Commanding Officer of 13 KAR NCC Battalion, which has been given the responsibility of conducting the inter-group camp.

The NCC Contingent of a State, which is adjudged the best for excellent performance, will be awarded the Championship Banner during the PM's Rally to be held on Jan. 27.

DC launches mass emission test for government vehicles in city

Mysureans can breathe easy as air pollution level is low: KSPCB

Mysuru, Nov. 15 (RK&KS)- Deputy Commissioner (DC) D. Randeep launched a mass emission test for government vehicles at Maharaja's College Grounds here this morning organised by the Regional Transport Office (RTO) in association with Karnataka State Pollution Control Board (KSPCB) as part of Air Pollution Control Awareness Month.

Mysureans can breathe easy as the air pollution in city has not reached the alarming levels as that of Delhi nor the city is witnessing traffic chaos like Bengaluru.

KSPCB's Mysuru Environmental Officer B.M. Prakash, speaking to *Star of Mysore* said that the pollution levels in city are below the limit set by the Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) and is far below the pollution levels in Delhi.

Emission tests for Carbon Monoxide and Hydro Carbon were done to about 300 government vehicles of all types including KSRTC buses from 7 am to 11 am by the Mobile Emission Testing Van of KSPCB.

Earlier, the DC who arrived at the venue on a bicycle, inaugurated the event by lighting the lamp. His official vehicle (Toyota Innova) was brought to the venue by the driver which was tested first and found that the vehicle's Smoke Value was 11.4% which is well under the limit of 65%.

Vehicles of about 40 Departments such as the Police, MCC, MUDA, PWD and others were tested at the mass drive. Some vehicles which were found emitting more smoke were asked to rectify the same and again come for the test.

Income Tax Department Commissioner Chakrapani, Joint Commissioner of Transport Dr. C.T. Murthy, District Transport Commissioner and RTO (West) Anwar Pasha, RTO (East) Prabhuswamy, Inspectors Sridhar Adhikari, P.A. Charles, Jagannath Rao, Prabhakar and others were present.

The KSPCB Officer has indicated that the air quality in Mysuru could be considered safe based on the levels of Particulate Matter (PM) for dust concentration of size less than 2.5 microns (PM 2.5) and 10 microns (PM 10) of which the former is deadly and its high levels in air can be injurious to one's health as it causes severe respiratory diseases which may result in death.

Prakash said that KSPCB monitors air pollution twice a week at two places, one at K.R. Circle and the other at KSPCB premises and added that Mysuru air was good as per the air quality index categorisation.

Prakash said that pollutants like Nitrous oxide, Sulphur dioxide, Lead and Ammonia were within the range in city and added that the average level of sulphur dioxide was 2.18 against the limit of 50 micrograms per Normal Metric Cube (NMC) at KSPCB, while it was 2.2 in K.R. Circle. Nitrous oxide was 19.83 against the limit of 40 microgram per NMC at KSPCB and it was 18.8 at K.R. Circle. PM 10 was recorded at 47 against the limit of 60 microgram at KSPCB and was 48.7 in K.R. Circle. PM 2.5 was at 22.85 against the limit of 40 in KSPCB and was 27.20 in K.R. Circle. Mysuru city will soon be getting a Continuous Ambient Air Quality Monitoring Station to provide air quality data on 24x7 basis, which will be established at the Dasara Exhibition Grounds, he said and added that they were waiting for approval from the Karnataka Exhibition Authority (KEA). Once the KEA approves the land, the unit would be commissioned by the end of Jan. 2018, Praksh said.

MGP to study traffic congestion

Suggests remedial measures

Deputy Commissioner D. Randeep launches the Comprehensive Study on Traffic Congestion at his office this morning as MGP members look on. *[Pic. by Pragati Gopalkrishna]*

Mysuru, Nov. 15 (RK&BCT)- A Comprehensive Study on Traffic Congestion in Mysuru City Centre, initiated by the Mysore Grahakara Parishat (MGP), was formally launched by Deputy Commissioner D. Randeep at his office this morning.

The study will be anchored by R. Chandra Prakash and it will recommend solutions to de-congest the traffic in the Central Business District (CBD) that is already facing bumper-to-bumper traffic following exponential growth of vehicles.

According to Chandra Prakash, traffic congestion is rapidly increasing in the CBD and if urgent steps are not taken, the city will have traffic gridlocks everywhere very soon. Railway track-doubling and 6-laning of the highway between Mysuru and Bengaluru will encourage overflow from Bengaluru and exacerbate this problem.

To formulate a plan to prevent this disaster, one needs an in-depth study of the various aspects of traffic congestion in this area. Mentioning that previous studies were either out-of-date or not available to the public, he added that the traffic study will be submitted by May 2018. He said that he would seek inputs, data and suggestions from RTO, KSRTC, Railways, NGOs, educational institutions and include them in the study.

Commissioning the study, DC D. Randeep said that the study must include measures to be taken to control the flow of traffic. A mere study without solutions does not mean anything, he said. He told the MGP to suggest short-term, mid-term and long-term measures to minimise or ease traffic congestion in CBD. He promised the MGP team that the District Administration will provide all necessary help for the MGP to complete the study.

The DC also said that if required, he would write to the Executive Officer of Department of Urban Land Transport to help the MGP to gather data.

MGP President S.D. Saokar, Working President Prof. Sobana, Founder-President Bhamy V. Shenoy and Members Bapu Sathyanarayana, P.M. Bhat, Prof. B.S. Shankar, K.S. Narasimhamurthy, K.V. Ramanath, Ashwatha Narayan, Shrimathi, Dr. Nirmala and Suman Shenoy were present.

Public can participate in this study by mailing their suggestions to *mvgraoa@gmail.com* or MGP, 6/1, Vivekananda Road, Yadavagiri, Mysuru - 570020.

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Government stubborn

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Meanwhile, Dr. Veeranna, State IMA Secretary, speaking to *SOM,* said there was mixed response to the strike call given by the private practitioners in the city this morning. While in a few of the private hospitals all the services were functioning, a few had stopped the services like attending to out-patients.

Asked about the stand of Health Minister K.R. Ramesh Kumar (who walked out in a huff from the Congress Legislature Party meeting this morning at Belagavi where a few Congress members themselves questioned about the amendments) who is particular about tabling the Bill saying that it is in the interest of the poor, Dr. Veeranna said that the doctors are in the profession not just to make money. "Our first responsibility is to save the life of a patient. We have all seen the kind of service provided by the Government hospitals. If they were so particular why do they not improve their services," he wondered.

According to Dr.Veeranna, the Government does not give them any subsidy for water, electricity and they charge for air conditioners used in the ICU. "The draconian step of being subjected to harassment of doctors including a jail term is something we are protesting vehemently against. How could we accept the District and Metropolitan Grievances Redressal Committees with Taluk Panchayat and ZP members on board," he asked.

Family physicians close clinics

Meanwhile, The Mysore District Family Physicians' Association (MDFPA) has decided to close their medical establishments indefinitely in protest against the 'Government's adamant attitude' to go forward with the draconian KPME amendment and pass it in the Legislature.

In a press release, President of MDFPA Dr. K. Nagendra Prasad said that they were forced to take this decision as they were helpless.

No Gynaecologists available

The IMA and MAHAN have urged all pregnant women, who are being attended to by private Gynaecologists, to make alternative arrangements immediately with Gynaecologists at Government Hospitals as the Gynaecologists in private hospitals will not be available from today.

Why Mysuru needs a traffic study?

By R. Chandra Prakash,
Mysore Grahakara Parishat

Bengaluru Way" — It is oft-repeated statement that Mysuru is going the Bengaluru way. But what does "Bengaluru way" mean? This statement summarises the phenomenal transformation that Bengaluru has undergone.

Chandra Prakash

Before the integration of the State, Mysuru was the capital city whereas Bengaluru was a cantonment city. Makkaji Chowk, Doddapete, Santhepet and Shivarampet became the commercial hub of Mysuru. Despite subsequent expansion, this city centre continued to be the epicentre of commercial and cultural activities. This same area went on to become Central Business District (CBD) in the Master Plans. Double-tracking of railways and the widening of road link between Bengaluru and Mysuru opened up mini-exodus from Bengaluru to Mysuru.

Establishment of IT-based service units in Mysuru created white-collar jobs in large numbers. The economic scene in Mysuru changed from a sleepy town to a vibrant one. With electrification of railway track and six-lane conversion of Bengaluru-Mysuru Road on the anvil, there is every possibility of Mysuru going the Bengaluru way. But the total defacing of Mysuru will be faster than Bengaluru.

Vehicular explosion and traffic congestion in CBD

Mysuru had only about 7,000 vehicles in 1970, but by 2016, this was up by over 8 lakh! Consequently, the roads were widened time and again, taking away sizeable portions of footpaths. Further, these reduced footpaths are occupied by hawkers. Pedestrians are forced to walk on the roads, which are dangerously congested.

The situation is precarious in the CBD. Despite shifting of wholesale shops from Santhepet and opening up of Devaraja Urs Road as a new shopping area, congestion of traffic on Sayyaji Rao Road, Shivarampet, Irwin Road, Ashoka Road, Bengaluru-Nilgiri Road between Five Lights Circle and Hardinge Circle has not reduced. On the contrary, it has increased substantially. Closing down of Makkaji Chowk has put extra pressure on these roads.

Irony of more traffic, less business!

It is an irony that shop owners complain of loss of business by the passing day despite ever-increasing crowds and high density of vehicular traffic in the CBD.

Then what is causing this traffic congestion? CBD is also categorised as the Heritage Zone with the location of places of touristic importance. The Palace is the epicentre of CBD. Devaraja Market, Jaganmohan Palace, Zoo and Karanji Lake makeup for the tourist attraction.

However, if there are no proper steps taken to overcome this traffic mess in the CBD, even tourism will take a beating. What happened to Avenue Road, Kempegowda Road in Bengaluru will soon happen to CBD pretty soon.

Need for the study

No study is known to have been made for unravelling this phenomenon. Mysuru Nanjangud Master Plan, being a land use plan, confined itself to finding places for multi-level parking and road-side parking. It did not delve into causes for and consequences of over-powering traffic.

Mysore Agenda Task Force (MATF) had tried but the Report could not see the light of the day as MATF was wound up. MUDA and MCC are said to have carried out some such study but their reports are not in the public domain. Or for that matter, neither of them seems to have taken this problem seriously.

Mysore Grahakara Parishat (MGP) is of the opinion that only a proper diagnosis can help in prescribing remedial measures. It has been drawing the attention of public and authorities to this grave problem of traffic congestion through publication of articles in newspapers and holding of meetings.

MGP tried seriously and repeatedly to convince the authorities to set up a Task Force consisting of experts and stakeholders to understand the causes for heavy vehicular congestion. Unfortunately, MGP could not succeed in its efforts. MGP has now decided to undertake this study by itself.

MGP will collect all secondary data available in the public domain to draw up a fair picture of causes. It will hold deliberations with stakeholders such as businessmen, business associations, medical services, user groups, Railways, KSRTC, Regional Transport Authorities, Transport Authority of the District, Police Department, MCC, MUDA, civic authorities of the district and the other NGOs and associations like Rotary and Lions. MGP also is planning to get help from leading educational institutions of Mysuru.

The central idea behind this study is to find out the reasons for prevalence of ironic situation of high congestion of vehicular traffic, coupled with complaint of lack of business. It will list out short-term and long-term remedial measures.

MGP hopes that this study will help save Mysuru from going the "Bengaluru way."

Protest against striking doctors

Mysuru, Nov.15 (RKB&VNS)- About 60 members of Karnataka Kavalu Pade, led by Mohan Kumar Gowda, staged a protest against the striking private doctors and hospitals in front of Mysuru Court Complex here this morning.

The protesters urged the State Government to amend the KPME Act in the interest of the public without heeding to any pressure.

They added that the private hospitals' motive should be to serve the public and not make money.

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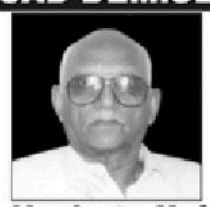
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Workshop on 'Applications of Embedded Systems using NI LabVIEW' held

Mysuru, Nov.15 (SV) - The Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering (ECE) of ATME College of Engineering (ATMECE), Mysuru, had organised a five-day National- level workshop on 'Applications of Advanced Embedded Systems using NI LabVIEW and ARDUINO' recently, in association with NI LabVIEW Academy, Department of ECE, SJB Institute of Technology (SJBIT), Bengaluru. The event was sponsored by Institute of Electronics and Telecommunications Engineers (IETE), Mysuru.

The resource persons for the workshop were Dr. A.V. Ravikumar, Associate Professor and Chief Coordinator, Shreenidhi and Nagarjun Gowda, LabVIEW Academy (SJBIT), Bengaluru, M.B. Darshini, Assistant Professor and V. Kishan from ATMECE.

The workshop mainly focused on LABVIEW, a graphical programming environment used to develop sophisticated measurement, test and control systems as well as interface with ARDUINO.

ARDUINO is an open-source platform used for building electronics projects. ARDUINO consists of both physical programmable circuit board (often referred to as a micro-controller) and a piece of software or IDE (Integrated Development Environment) that runs on computer, used to write and upload computer code on to the physical board.

This course provides the participants the knowledge and expertise to explore concepts with accelerated learning, and enables them to seamlessly apply their knowledge to design experiments and develop their own applications with hardware.

The workshop was coordinated by Chief Coordinator Dr. P.K. Mahesh, Head, Department of ECE, Conveners Dr. L. Yathisha and A.C. Pavithra and Co-Conveners Amrith Poonacha and M. Girish, Assistant Professors, Department of ECE, ATME with Dr. L. Basavaraj, Principal, ATME, Mysuru, as Organising Chair.

On the last day, a mini project competition was conducted. The first prize, with a cash prize of Rs. 2000, was bagged by one of the teams from Coorg Institute of Technology (CIT), Ponnampet. Two teams, one each from GSSS Institute of Engineering and Technology for Women (GSSSIETW) and ATMECE won consolation prizes. Elintz Lab, Bengaluru, provided the hardware kits which were procured by ATMECE.

Students from ATME College of Engineering, CIT, Ponnampet, NIE-IT and GSSSIETW, Mysuru participated in this workshop.

Session on recent amendment to Karnataka Factories Rules 1969

D.C. Jagadeesh, Deputy Director of Factories & Boilers, Mysuru Division, who was felicitated is seen with (from right) S.M. Jayaprakash, Chairman, NIPM Mysuru Chapter, K. Anantha Gowda, ex-Chairman, NIPM, Mysuru, B.L. Jagadish, Vice-Chairman, NIPM, Savitha Gowda, Secretary, NIPM, and B. Rajendra Babu, Factory Manager, ITI Limited.

Mysuru, Nov.15 (SV)- A Session on 'Recent amendment to Karnataka Factories Rules 1969' was organised by National Institute of Personnel Management (NIPM), Mysuru Chapter, at a Hotel in city recently. The programme was addressed by D.C. Jagadeesh, Deputy Director of Factories and Boilers, Mysore Division.

Jagadeesh gave a detailed presentation on Factories Act – 1948 & Karnataka Rules 1969. He highlighted about the 120 sections, 11 chapters and 3 schedules of the Act. The session included discussions on several schemes and Acts such as The Karnataka State Factories Self Certification Scheme 2016, Classification of Industries to Streamline and Simplify the Inspection System, The Karnataka Factories (Safety Audit) Rules 2016, The Maternity Amendment to the Payment of Wages Act, 1936 Benefit (Amendment) Act, 2017, The Karnataka Factories (Amendment) Rules 2016, Amendment to the Child & Adolescent Labour (Prohibition and Regulation) Act, 1986, etc.

Jagadeesh was also felicitated for being promoted as Joint Director of Factories & Boilers, Bellary Division.

S.M. Jayaprakash, Chairman, NIPM Mysuru Chapter, K. Anantha Gowda, ex-Chairman, NIPM, Mysore Chapter and General Manager – HR &Admn, Jubilant Generics, Nanjangud, B.L. Jagadish, Vice-Chairman, NIPM, Mysuru Chapter, Savitha Gowda, Secretary, NIPM, Mysuru Chapter were also present.

Subramanian, NIPM member, proposed a vote of thanks. CEOs, HRs, administrators and safety department heads and officers of several industries attended the programme.

World Science Day for Peace and Development at NIE-IT

Mysuru, Nov.15 (SV) - Karnataka Science and Technology Academy (KSTA) had organised 'World Science Day for Peace and Development' in association with NIE Institute of Technology, Mysuru, with the theme "Science for global understanding" on Nov.10. The programme was inaugurated by S.L. Ramachandra, Director, NIE. He emphasised on the attitudes of curiosity and questioning to gain the knowledge of science and technology by giving daily life examples.

The keynote address was delivered through an audio message by N. Ramanuja, Hon. Vice President, NIE. He spoke about the need for science for worldly peace and development.

Dr. K. Chidananda Gowda, former Vice-Chancellor, Kuvempu University, who presided explained the magnanimity of science and said that only 4% of the universe is observed, 23% observable, and remaining 73% is unobservable dark matter. Further he emphasised on the movement of science and technology with spirituality and humankind. He concluded by saying that the marvels of applied sciences and engineering must contribute towards the peace and development of human society.

Prof. T. Ananthapadmanabha, Principal, NIEIT, welcomed. Dr. N.V. Archana, Convener, briefed about the activities of science day.

G.S. Ramachandra, Hon. Secretary, NIE, Dr.P. Wooday Krishna, Hon. General Secretary, Seshadripuram Educational Trust, Bengaluru, Dr. H. Umesh Hebbar, Senior Principal Scientist, Head, DTS, CSIR-CFTRI, Mysuru and Dr. R. Anand, Scientific officer, KSTA, were present.

Prof. M.S. Usha, HoD of CSE, NIE-IT, proposed a vote of thanks. Prof. Divya, Department of EEE and Prof. D. Rajeshwari, Department of ISE, compered.

The inauguration was followed by expert lecture sessions.

An overview on 'X-ray and Crystallography'

Mysuru, Nov. 15 (SV) - A Lecture on 'X-ray and Crystallography - An overview' was organised by the Physics Department of NIE-IT, for the first year Engineering students at the college premises recently. It was held as part of a lecture series programme titled SPECTRUM – A special activity forum of the Department.

Dr. S. Naveen, Professor, Jain School of Engineering and Technology, Bengaluru, in his lecture highlighted the sole importance of XRD (X-ray powder diffraction) techniques and its applications in the field of drug design and imparted training to students about the various bio-molecular crystal structures.

The programme was presided by Dr.T. Ananthapadmanabha, Principal, NIEIT, who pointed out the relevance of the current Nano Science and Technology with ancient technological applications that existed in epics of Hindu literature Ramayana and Mahabharata.

4th Zen Sports Karate Championship

Deia Urs wins silver

Deia Urs is seen receiving silver medal and cash prize of Rs. 5000 from Sensei Mohan and Sensei M.G. Prasad as Shihan N.G. Shivadas, Sensei Karate Sudhakar and Sensei Vetrivel look on.

Mysuru, Nov. 15- Deia Urs, a I PU student of Vidvardhaka Sangha Golden Jubilee PU College, Kuvempunagar won silver medal in the Girls Open Grand Championship Kata Category at the recently held 4th Zen Sports Karate Championship at Koramangala Indoor Stadium in Bengaluru.

In the quarter-finals she defeated Anika of Kerala 5-0 and in the semi-finals she defeated Harshita of Bengaluru 5-0. However, she lost to Tamil Nadu's Puneethavathi by a slender margin of 3-2 in the finals.

The Championship was organised by M.G. Prasad, Master Fitness Trainer and Coach, Indian National Karate Team and Head of Zen Sports and Fitness, Bengaluru. Around 700 participants from 15 States and also from Sri Lanka, Muscat and Iran took part in the championship. Deia is trained by her father B.S. Srinath Urs. Both practice under Sensei E.S. Kumar of Shuko Kai Shito Ryu Karate Do of India and Shihan C.S. Arun Machaiah, President, All India Shito Ryu Karate Do Federation.

Open Tennis Tournament

Nihal, Aditya, Harsha, Apoorva bag titles

Winner of Open Tennis Tournament conducted by the Mysore Tennis Wing Academy at the Omkarmal Somani B.Ed College's tennis courts seen with the prizes. Also seen are Dr. B.N. Asha, Principal, Onkarmal Somani College of Education, N.S. Subramanya, Benjiman and N. Manjunath, M.R. Nithyananda, Coach, Mysore Tennis Wing Academy.

Mysuru, Nov.15- Nihal Ravi (U-10 boys), M.S. Aditya Srinivas (U-12 boys) and J. Apoorva (U-14 girls) won the singles titles in the Open Tennis Tournament conducted by Mysore Tennis Wing Academy at the Omkarmal Somani B.Ed College Tennis Courts here recently. D.K. Harsha teaming up with A. Shreyas won the U-14 boys doubles title also and completed a fine double.

The Results: Boys U-10: Final: Nihal Ravi bt R. Siddarth 6-2, 6-3.

Boys U-12: M.S. Aditya Srivatsav bt C. Shobith 6-3, 6-3.

Boys U-14: D.K. Harsha bt H.N. Dhanush 6-4, 7-5.

Boys U-14 Doubles: Harsha and A. Shreyas bt V. Paultsya and H.N. Dhanush 7-5, 6-4.

Top Spin Tennis Academy Men's Tennis Tournament

City's Manish Deepak duo enter quarter-finals

Bengaluru, Nov.15- City's upcoming youngsters, G. Manish (Sapient PU College, Mysuru) and A. Deepak, taking part in the AITA Rupees One Lakh prize money tennis tournament conducted by Topspin Tennis Academy, Bengaluru, entered the quarter-finals in the men's doubles event on Monday.

In the men's doubles first round, Manish and Deepak beat Sheikh Mohammed Ifthikar and Rahul Shankar 7-5, 7-6 (9-7).

Indian MMA Team trains in City for World Championship

Indian Contingent with Purushotham, Ex-Mayor and corporator, Alan Fernandes, Indian Team Coach, Vikas Singh, Pro MMA fighter and Kru. Vikram, AMS Head Coach are seen with the MMA fighters.

Mysuru, Nov.15 (SV)- 11 MMA (Mixed Martial Arts) fighters (7 male and 4 female) who will be representing India at the MMA World championship to be held in Bahrain between Nov.12 and Nov.19 underwent a rigorous National training camp at City's Academy of Martial Science (AMS) which ended recently.

The 11 member team is drawn from various States of the country based on their performance at the National Championships held recently in Bhubaneshwar, Odisha in October. The World Championship is organised by IMMAF (International Mixed Martial Arts Federation) and Indian team represents AIMMAA (All India Mixed Martial Arts Association).

The camp was headed by Indian Team Coach Alan Fernandes and supported by Kru. Vikram, Head coach, AMS and Professional MMA fighter Vikas Singh.

It is for the first time that the Indian Women fighters are representing the country in the history of Indian MMA.

The Team: 1. Saloni Avhad - Aurangabad, Maharashtra. 2. Nishigandha Rao - Mumbai, Maharashtra. 3. Naipunya Sunil - Calicut, Kerala. 4. Divya Nangaraj - Bengaluru, Karnataka. 5. Akash Goutham - Indoor, Madhya Pradesh. 6. Pathian - Aizwal, Mizoram. 7. Anurag Sharma - Chandigarh, Haryana. 8. Krishna Yadav - Jaipur, Rajasthan. 9. Suraj Kumar - Delhi. 10. Shivaraj Basappa - Bengaluru, Karnataka. 11. Ajit Negi - Dehradun, Uttarakhand.

Annual Sports Meet held

Mysuru, Nov. 15- The Annual Sports Meet of Acharya Vidya Kula, Mysuru, was inaugurated by M. Yogendra, Veteran International Athlete and Superintendent of Central Tax and Customs, Bengaluru, recently. Yogendra, in his address to the students, motivated them to spare enough time for physical exercise and sports along with academics and co-curricular activities.

Track and field events were conducted for students of all classes. Andal S. Charry, President of the School, Garuda K. Iyengar and Govinda Prasad, Members, Governing Board, were present on the occasion.

St. Joseph's School (Hunsur) emerges runner-up

St. Joseph School, Hunsur which emerged runner-up in the volleyball tournament held at Ramanagar recently is seen with the trophy. Seen in the picture are Deepti Nayar, M.P. Preksha, Varnika (all selected for national-level) and Head Mistress Philomini Naronha

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Clear this stinking garbage at Lingambudhi Lake

Morning and evening walkers at Lingambudhi Lake are greeted with stinking garbage which is not cleared since many days resulting in foul smell emanating from it. This apart, there has been an increase in mosquitoes and flies in the surroundings, which has to be controlled. Authorities concerned are urged to take steps to get the garbage cleared at the earliest and prevent people from dumping garbage in the lake area.

A 'road' in Hanumanthanagar crying for attention

The residents of HUDCO 2nd Stage in Hanumanthnagar, near Lions School, are facing a lot of problems because of the improper road. This is the condition of the road since one year which has resulted in a lot of difficulties for the public especially the disabled, children and senior citizens. This so called 'road' has the stone slabs laid on the road which are protruding. Authorities concerned are urged to remove these stone slabs and asphalt the road for the benefit of the public.

KDP Review Meeting at Zilla Panchayat

'Select deserving beneficiaries under housing schemes'

Mysuru, Nov.15 (PM&VNS)- "Select the deserving beneficiaries under the housing scheme in Chamundeshwari and Varuna Assembly constituencies," said Zilla Panchayat (ZP) Standing Committee on Social Justice Chairman Beerihundi Basavanna, here on Monday.

He was speaking at the KDP Review Meeting held at ZP auditorium in city. Basavanna instructed the Taluk Panchayat Executive Officers not to compromise or heed to any pressure while selecting the beneficiaries.

The State Government has sanctioned additional houses for Chamundeshwari and Varuna constituencies for the year 2017-18 under the Basava Housing Scheme and as per rules, the officials have to select the beneficiaries who do not have their own houses through respective Village Panchayats, he said.

Basavanna also warned of protest by the elected representatives against the officials if they deny the benefits to the deserving candidates.

Zilla Panchayat (ZP) CEO P. Shivashankar is seen making a point at the KDP Review Meeting in city on Monday as ZP President Nayeema Sulthana and ZP Standing Committee on Social Justice Chairman Beerihundi Basavanna look on.

Stating that he had received complaints of PDOs being pressurised to approve the list prepared by somebody, Basavanna said that there were chances of the Village Panchayats in Mysuru, Nanjangud and T. Narasipur taluks being sanctioned additional houses in the days to come.

Teachers wasting time at schools

ZP Member Dayananda Murthy raised the issue of teachers wasting their time in Government Schools instead of executing their work.

Reacting to this, DDPI Manjula said that she had already instructed the concerned Block Education Officer to initiate suitable action.

The meeting also discussed the issues related to increase in housefly menace in Shettanayakanhalli and surrounding villages.

Speaking on the ongoing stir by private doctors, DHO Dr. Basavaraju said that though there was no official information to the Department about the doctors taking out Belagavi Chalo, sufficient arrangements had been made to ensure that there wasn't any dearth of medical facilities at the taluk level.

Local leader objects for AYUSH Hospital at Valagere

ZP CEO asks KRIDL officials to go ahead with the project, assures security

Mysuru, Nov.15 (PM&VNS)- There seems to be no solution for the problem being faced by the officials with regard to the construction of AYUSH Hospital at Valagere in Nanjangud taluk. Though Zilla Panchayat (ZP) released funds for the construction of the hospital and performed *guddali puja* for the same, the construction is yet to begin.

Speaking on the issue, during the KDP meeting at ZP hall in city on Monday, ZP Standing Committee Chairman on Agriculture and Industries Dayananda Murthy expressed his displeasure over the construction having not commenced as a local politician was raising objection.

When asked as to why the *guddali puja* was performed on a different site, Beerihundi Basavanna was informed that the puja was performed on an empty site as the original site was filled with bushes and shrubs.

Karnataka Rural Infrastructure Development Limited (KRIDL) official, who was present at the meeting, also informed that the local leader was not allowing for the project to take off.

To this, ZP Chief Executive Officer (CEO) P. Shivashankar assured that he would facilitate necessary security through the local Police and instructed the officials to go ahead with the construction. He also directed the AYUSH official to lodge complaint at the jurisdictional Police Station regarding the issue.

Dayanand Murthy informed the meeting that the leader, who was raising objection, had built his house on a Government land. Later, Beerihundi Basavanna suggested Murthy to visit the spot and set the matter right. Reacting to this, Murthy expressed his helplessness to fight against that local leader.

While discussing on drinking water units, KRIDL officer Venugopal said that the units were constantly coming under repair as people, who procured water from these places, used them unscientifically. Reacting to this, Beerihundi Basavanna said that machinery used in these units were of low quality.

Later, the ZP CEO said that the issue was also being discussed at the Government level and added that KRIDL was responsible for maintenance of these units till Dec. 31.

Dayananda Murthy also apprised about an official misleading the ZP in respect to the construction of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Community Hall at Debur.

In his reply, the official incharge said that he had only tabled the information provided to him by his fellow officers. Later, it was decided to conduct a joint spot infection with officials and the elected representatives.

Speaking on the occasion, Horticulture Department Deputy Director Manjunath informed that the district had recorded a total of 783 hectare coconut crop loss. He said that the Central Government had approved to provide compensation on special grounds.

Jain Chaturmasa concludes; Sakal Jain Samaj Directory released

Mysuru, Nov.15- Sri Siddarthanagar Vardhman Sthanakvasi Jain Shravak Sangha, Mysuru, has recently organised a programme to mark the completion of Jain Chaturmasa. Sakal Jain Samaj Directory of Siddarthnagar at CITB, Siddarthanagar, was also released on the occasion in the presence of Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha, Chamarajanagar District in-Charge Minister Dr. Geetha Mahadevaprasad, MLA M.K. Somashekar, Corporators Nagabushan and Mahadevamma.

Sangha President Sampathlal Kothari, Secretary Madanlal Porwad and Treasurer Kanyalal Ganna, City Sthanak President B.A. Kailashchand Jain, Vidhyaranyapuram President Mohanlal Kothari, Indiranagar President Tejmal Nangwat, Jain Milan Palace City Trust Mysuru President Manmal Darla and Secretary Mahaveerchand Bhansali and other Yuva and Mahila Mandal Committee Members were present.

Mahila Mandal and children presented cultural programmes followed by discourse of Sri Adarshjyotiji and Sri Chetanasriji.

Hotel owners welcome reduction to 5% GST

Mysuru, Nov.15 (PM&NNN)- The Goods and Services Tax (GST) Council decision to reduce tax on hotels to 5 percent is a welcome step, said Mysuru Hotel Owners' Association President C. Narayanagowda.

He was addressing a press meet at Pathrakartara Bhavan here yesterday and said that when GST was implemented initially, tax on the hotel industry was fixed at 18 percent and 28 percent. This had caused a lot of problems to the industry. Viewing this move very seriously, including the Mysuru Hotel Owners Association, many other associations in the country approached the GST Council to review its decision.

The Centre finally, realising the losses the hotel industry was incurring, responded to our suggestion and reduced the GST. Accordingly, a 5 percent GST has been fixed for all hotels with a turnover of less than Rs. One crore. The GST of 28 percent fixed on restaurants has been reduced to 12 percent, he said.

Staging of play 'Mooru Muttu' on Nov. 16

As part of Kannada Rajyotsava celebrations, the Association has organised a play titled 'Mooru Muttu' on Nov.16 at Jaganmohan Palace at 5.30 pm. The humorous play is being staged by Roopkala Kundapura (Kullappa) troupe and admission is free, said Narayangowda.

Littérateur Dr. C.P. Krishnakumar (CPK), District Kannada Sahitya Parishat former President N. Girigowda and Mysore Travels Association President B.S. Prashanth, who has been presented the National Award for promotion of tourism, will be felicitated on the occasion.

Bruhat Bengaluru Hotels Association President Chandrashekar Hebbar, Tourism Department Mysuru Deputy Director H.P. Janardhan, Hotel Owners' Association Charitable Trust President Ravishastri, Vice-President Suresh and others will be present.

Book Exhibition marks National Library week

Mysuru, Nov. 15 (US)- Marking National Library Week, a book exhibition was organised by City Central Library at its premises here yesterday. The expo was inaugurated by Ramakrishna Vidyalaya Librarian Nagesh and Library Committee Members Krishnamurthy & Aruna.

Speaking on the occasion, Nagesh, taking a clue from Higginbothams Book Store in Chennai, opined that a library should provide the best service to a reader in minimum time.

Briefing on the event, M. Parvathy of Department of Public Libraries, said that the National Library Week was being observed every year from Nov. 14 to 20 throughout the State under the Department of Public Libraries which features book exhibitions.

She added that the event aimed at creating awareness among people on the habit of reading. Library Assistant G. Vijay Nag and others were present.

'Eradicate child labour to make Children's Day meaningful'

Mysuru, Nov.15 (PM&US)- Children of Vidyodaya Makkala Hakkugala Okkuta have averred that Children's Day would be meaningful only if the evil of child labour was eradicated from society.

Addressing a press meet at Patrakartara Bhavan here yesterday, the children sought the co-operation of everyone to evolve the city as child labour free. They alleged that thousands of kids were working even today at hotels, garages, scrap yards and farms. They added that child marriages too were in vague. They pointed out that such kids were deprived of education.

The Okkuta was formed in 2002 to mobilise children from slums in Mysuru, Mandya and Chamarajanagar districts with co-operation of Rural Literary and Health Project.

Okkuta Members Shankar, Abhishek, Sneha, Manju, Seema, Lavanya and Rakha were present at the press meet.

BJP Mahila Morcha members briefed on Voters' Revision List

Mysuru, Nov.15 (RKB&US)- Former Minister S.A. Ramdas had organised a programme titled *'Mathadaarara Nadige - Boothina Kadege'* at Vidyashankara Kalyana Mantapa here yesterday. Hundreds of women, with two women from BJP Mahila Morcha picked up from each booth in K.R. Constituency, participated in the programme.

The women here briefed on providing awareness among voters on utility of forms like 6, 7, 8 and 8A, covering inclusion of names in Voters' list and related matter. The women would visit every house in K.R. Constituency from today and provide awareness among voters on revision of voters' list.

Designer Jayanti Ballal, Srihari of GSS Foundation, Corporator B.V. Manjunath, Mahila Morcha President Noor Fathima and others were present during the programme.

Marking Children's Day, sweets were distributed to children of party activists. Meritorious children were felicitated and books on freedom fighters were distributed among them.

Hello, DC!

Mysuru, Nov.15- A phone-in programme has been arranged at the Deputy Commissioner's (DC) Office in city on Nov. 16 between 9.30 am and 10.30 am to hear public grievances. Public may call 1077 or 0821-2423800 to air their grievances. ADC T. Yogesh, has in a press release, asked all the district-level officials to be present at the DC's office by 9 am tomorrow.

KRS Water Level

(Maximum : 124.80 feet)

Today	111.85 ft
Yesterday	111.71 ft
Inflow	2,365 cusecs
Outflow	522 cusecs
Last year on this date	77.30 ft

Harangi Level

(Maximum : 2,859.00 feet)

Today	2,856.95 ft
Inflow	2,132 cusecs
Outflow	900 cusecs

Kabini Level

(Maximum : 2,284.00 feet)

Today	2,280.69 ft
Inflow	259 cusecs
Outflow	500 cusecs

WORD OF THE DAY

Autodidact

Pronunciation: aw-toh-dahy-dakt, -dahy-dakt
Meaning: A person who has learned a subject without the benefit of a teacher or formal education; a self-taught person.
Origin: Autodidact can be traced to the Greek autodídaktos meaning "self-taught." The combining form auto- is used in formation of compound words and means "self," "same," "spontaneous."

THE ODD WORD

Lagena
Flask

PHRASE OF THE DAY

The whole kit and caboodle

Meaning: A collection of things.

Origin: The words kit and caboodle have rather similar meanings.
A kit - is set of objects, as in a toolkit, or what a soldier would put in his kit-bag. A caboodle (or boodle) - is an archaic term meaning group or collection, usually of people. There are several phrases similar to the whole kit and caboodle, which is first recorded in that form in 1884. Most of them are of US origin and all the early citations are American. Caboodle was never in common use outside the USA and now has died out everywhere, apart from its use in this phrase. Although this citation is slightly later than that of the final 'whole kit and caboodle', it's worth including as it gives a 19th-century version of the meaning of the term. It may still be a step along the way - either unrecorded before 1888 or recorded in an, as yet, undiscovered work. This piece, titled 'The Origin of Boodle', is from The Dunkirk Observer-Journal, New York, September 1888: "It is probably derived from the Old-English word bottel, a bunch or a bundle, as a bottel of straw. "The whole kit and boodle of them" is a New England expression in common use, and the word in this sense means the whole lot. Latterly, boodle has come to be somewhat synonymous with the word pile, the term in use at the gaming table, and signifying a quantity of money. In the gaming sense, when a man has "lost his boodle", he has lost his pile or whole lot of money, whatever amount he happened to have with him." What we can't confirm is that the word caboodle migrated from boodle in order to sound better when matched with kit. It is possible that that's what happened, but the dates of the known citations don't support it. Whole kit and caboodle, (1884) is recorded before whole kit and boodle, (1888) and whole caboodle comes well before both, in 1848. Perhaps that's just the inadequacy or either records or research and that citations with the appropriate dates will emerge later.

QUOTE BOX

Our task must be to widen our circle of compassion, to embrace all living creatures and the whole of nature in its beauty. **—Albert Einstein**

RIDDLE THIS

A teacher has a class of 30 children but only 2 pupils. How is this possible?

Answer: The teacher has 2 pupils in her eyes.

SUDOKU

9				7				
3					6			
6		4	1					
		2	7			3	6	
		6				5		
	4	1			8	9		
					2	1		8
			6					2
				8				5

Answer to previous puzzle

1	9	4	5	3	6	8	2	7
5	7	8	4	1	2	9	6	3
6	3	2	9	7	8	4	1	5
4	5	1	8	9	7	2	3	6
3	2	9	1	6	5	7	4	8
8	6	7	2	4	3	5	9	1
7	1	5	3	2	4	6	8	9
9	4	6	7	8	1	3	5	2
2	8	3	6	5	9	1	7	4

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:
1 "Noel" anagram for a style of weaving?
5 Circular recording
9 Old English measure or the right-angled letter?
12 ___ of tongue : something said inadvertently?
13 Sound like a lion
14 Pet name for Louis?
15 "Need" anagram for a sand hill?
16 Infuriating, making mad
18 Approach, skirt or border
20 Graven__ : an idol?
21 Likely to kill
22 Turk VIP
23 Suffix denoting native or inhabitant
24 Declare, confess or assert
27 Popular news channel
31 This is paid at some schools
32 Plunges into water head first
34 Historical period
35 Is not contracted
37 Holder for flowers, maybe
38 An adult male
39 High Power Amplifier
41 Up, high or overhead
43 Pertaining to a Duke
46 Violent person or animal
47 Landlocked neighbour of Sudan
50 Cause to spin
52 Self addressed envelope, in short
53 Period of time
54 Tributary of Ganges
55 Frequency unit
56 Sensible and rational
57 Cast _ ___ wide : search a large area? (1,3)

DOWN
1 Hallucinogenic drug
2 Raises, lifts up or exalts
3 Last teen year
4 Verdi or Puccini's forte?
5 Suffer or endure - "reed" anagram?
6 Electrically charged particle
7 Some Assembly Required
8 Hollywood star Daniel ____
9 ___ Kazan : famous Hollywood director?
10 ___ odds : very uneven odds?
11 A small toboggan
17 FBI agent (slang) (1-3)
19 Very happy
21 If returned twice for a girl's name?
22 Causes reverence
25 Long live (Spanish).
26 Eggs
28 Opposed to promotion
29 Go from one side to the other
30 Weather blade
33 Scorch the surface
36 That man from Bangkok?
40 Ruses, tricks or gimmicks
42 Sergei ____ : the greatest pole-vaulter in the world ever?
43 Office need
44 One of the USA
45 At the home of, in French
46 Lay ___ : expose all, in a way?
48 What grows in a pod?
49 ___ Botham : famous English all-rounder?
51 Illuminated

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER:

F	A	D	E	■	M	A	S	K	■	S	S	R
A	M	E	N	■	A	S	P	I	R	A	T	E
C	E	L	L	■	P	H	Y	S	I	C	A	L
T	R	E	A	C	L	E	■	T	O	R	N	■
■	■	■	R	U	E	■	U	N	T	I	D	Y
U	S	A	G	E	■	A	R	A	■	S	E	E
P	U	R	E	■	S	E	N	■	A	T	E	N
A	L	T	■	S	O	S	■	A	B	Y	S	S
S	T	I	T	C	H	■	D	I	A	■	■	■
■	A	F	A	R	■	F	U	L	S	O	M	E
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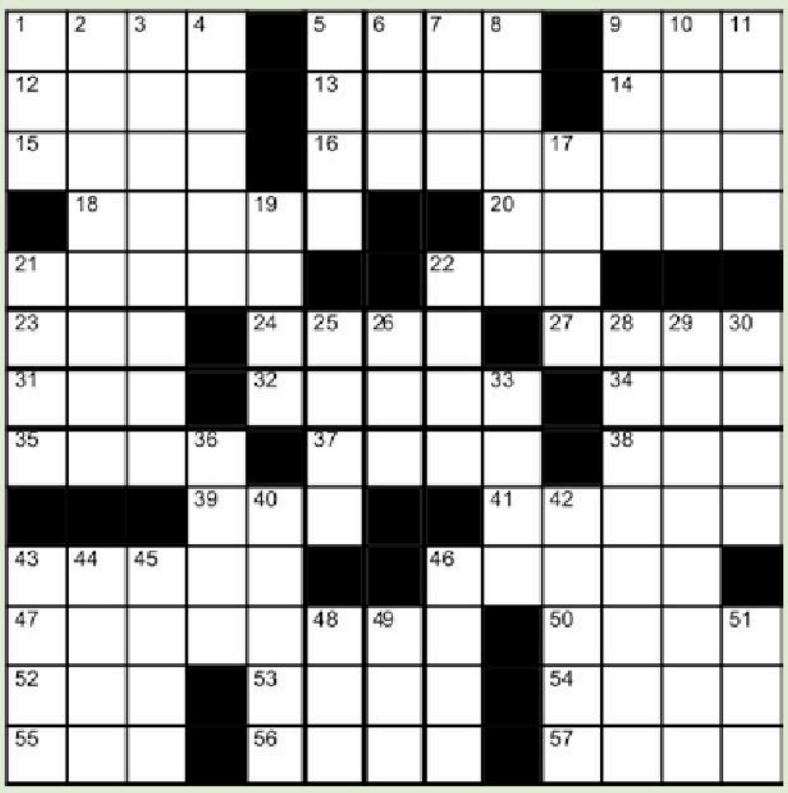

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

JD TQR Q LDSKCR - IJQI KR IF RQW, Q OQS TJF XFDR RCADUMQIKGDMW

QSX TKIJFCI FPGKFCR DHHFUI RFODIJKSL IJQI OFRI ADFAMD

BQSSFI XF PW IJD CIIDUOFRI DVDUIKFS FH IJDKU QPKMKIKDR

TODAY'S CLUE: D EQUALS E

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: My father hated radio and could not wait for television to be invented so he could hate that too.

NOW SHOWING

Movie	Theatre	Phone	Shows
KANNADA			
College Kumar	Saraswathi	2541451	4 Shows
	Woodlands	2422871	4 Shows
	Mahadeshwara	9900820093	4 Shows
Biko	Prabha	2423569	2 Shows
Sathya Harishchandra	Prabha	2423569	2 Shows
Tarak	Gayathri	2443568	4 Shows
	Sterling	2481170	4 Shows
	Thibbadevi	2452958	4 Shows
Raajaru	Lido	2420885	2 Shows
Psycho Shankra	Lido	2420885	2 Shows
Samyuktha 2	Shanthala	2427584	4 Shows
Bharjari	Lakshmi	2443584	4 Shows
Nuggekai	Sangam	2520494	4 Shows
	Sri Maruthi	9980351129	4 Shows
Kataka	Skyline	2481170	4 Shows
6-5=2 (Part-2)	Olympia	2420737	4 Shows
TAMIL			
Mersal	Padma	2521923	4 Shows
Aramm	Rajkamal	2423554	4 Shows
HINDI			
Maheruh	Sri Nagaraj	2520490	4 Shows
Foreigner	Balaji Deluxe	2497199	4 Shows
Rasik Balma	Uma	2520009	4 Shows

DRC CINEMAS — PH: 4240422, 4241800

Thor: Ragnarok (E-3D)	(S-1)	11 am, 1.45 pm, 4.45 pm 7.25 pm, 9.55 pm
Psycho Shankra (K)	(S-2)	10.45 am
Aramm (Ta)	(S-2)	1.55 pm
Golmaal Again (H)	(S-2)	4.20 pm, 7.10 pm
The House Next Door (H)	(S-2)	9.55 pm
College Kumar (K)	(S-3)	11.00 am
	(S-4)	4.25 pm
Ittefaq (H)	(S-3)	2.00 pm
P.S. Garuda Vega (Te)	(S-3)	4.05 pm
Secret Super Star (H)	(S-3)	7.05 pm
C/o Surya (Te)	(S-3)	9.55 pm
My Little Pony (E)	(S-4)	11.30 am
Qarib Qarib Singlle (H)	(S-4)	2.00 pm, 7.05, 9.50 pm

INOX LIVE THE MOVIE — PH: 2533444 / 2533456

Thor: Ragnarok (E-3D)	(S-1)	10.30 am, 1.15 pm, 4 pm 6.45 pm, 9.30 pm
Qarib Qarib Singlle (H)	(S-3)	11.00 am, 1.40 pm 6.55 pm, 9.35 pm
College Kumar (K)	(S-2)	10.35 am, 1.25 pm 4.20 pm
Golmaal Again (H)	(S-4)	10.10 am, 3.55 pm
Shaadi Mein Zaroor Aana (H)	(S-2)	7.10 pm
	(S-4)	1.10 pm
C/o Surya (Te)	(S-2)	9.55 pm
Ippadai Vellum (Ta)	(S-4)	9.45 pm
Aramm (Ta)	(S-3)	4.20 pm
The House Next Door (H)	(S-4)	6.55 pm

Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

TV TONIGHT

7:00 pm Jeet Gayi to Piyaa Morey	7:00 pm Tu Sooraj Main Saanjh Piyaji	6:00 pm Crime Patrol - Satark
7:30 Aisi Deewangi...	7:30 Ye Hai Mohabbatein	7:00 Kuch Rang Pyar Ke Aise Bhi
8:00 Zindagi Ki Mahek	8:00 Rishton Ka Chakravyuh	7:30 Mere Sai
8:30 Piya Albela	8:30 Ikyawann	8:00 Vighnaharta Ganesh
9:00 Kumkum Bhagya	9:00 Naamkarann	8:30 Beyhadh
9:30 Kundali Bhagya	9:30 Yeh Rishta Kya Kehlata Hai	9:00 Kaun Banega Crorepati
6:00pm Man Vs. Wild	6:00pm Follow The Blues	6:00pm Continent 7: Ant-arctica : Frozen Wasteland
7:00 How It's Made	6:30 Let's Football	7:00 Continent 7
7:30 What Went Down	8:00 KBD Heroes	8:00 Attack of the Big Cats
8:00 Wild Frank in Africa	8:30 Superstars	9:00 Brain Games : Left V Right
9:00 River Monsters	9:00 Football United	9:30 S.o.s
10:00 Man Vs. Wild	9:30 New Zealand Tour of India	10:00 World's Most Extreme
11:00 A Haunting	10:00 New Zealand Tour of India	11:00 Years of Living Dangerously
	10:30 Badminton Unlimited	
6:00pm Oggy & the Cockroaches	6:30 pm Mahaveera Hanuman	7:00 pm Kaveri
6:30 Oggy & the Cockroaches	7:30 Ennu Swantham Jaani	7:30 Avalu
7:00 Happy Birthday Kris Wick	8:00 Naga Kanyaka	8:00 Nandini
8:30 Oggy & the Cockroaches	8:30 Shaneeswaran	9:00 Jeevanadhi
9:00 Oggy & the Cockroaches	9:00 Nandhini	9:30 Doddamane Sose
10:00 Ben 10	9:30 Ayalathe Sundari	10:00 Sarayoo
11:00 Dragon Ball Z	10:00 Premam	10:30 Kiladi Kids

MOVIES TONIGHT

6:18pm **Life of Pi**	7:22pm **Madagascar: Escape 2 Africa**	5:42pm **Non-Stop**
9:00 **Speed**	9:00 **Kung Fu Panda 2**	7:26 **Blades of Glory**
11:30 **Chinese Zodiac**	10:44 **XXx: Return of Xander Cage**	9:00 **Black Hawk Down**
		11:36 **Poseidon Rex**
5:53pm **Dangerous Khiladi 4**	5:56pm **Love Action Dhamaka**	7:00pm **Teleshopping**
8:55 **The Return of Rebel**	9:00 **Baaghi**	8:30 **Ekka Raja Ran**
11:50 **Mera Target**	11:49 **Salaakhen**	
4:17pm **Hellboy II: The Golden Army**	7:00pm **Chalisuva Moodagalu**	5:00pm **Raaz Reboot**
6:49 **Fast and Furious**	10:00 **Gayathri Maduve**	7:55 **Prem Ratan Dhan Payo**
9:00 **King Kong**		11:20 **Dishoom**

EVENTS TODAY (NOV.15)

Ramsons Kala Pratishtana: Bombe Mane, an expo of exquisite dolls from across India, Pratima Gallery, #91, above Aamrapali Saree Store, Nazarbad Main Road, **up to 7.30 pm.**

Karnataka State Khadi and Village Industries Board: Khadi and Gramodyog Utsav, Chief Minister Siddharamaiah inaugurates the Zonal-level Utsav, PWD and District Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa, Primary and Secondary Education Minister Tanveer Sait, Sugar and Small Industries Minister Dr. Geetha Mahadevaprasad, Karnataka State Khadi and Village Industries Board Chairman Yaluvalli N. Ramesh will participate, MLA Vasu presides, Deputy Chairman of the Legislative Council Marithibbegowda, Mayor M.J. Ravikumar, Zilla Panchayat President Nayeema Sulthana, MPs Pratap Simha, R. Dhurvanarayan and C.S. Puttaraju chief guests, MLAs K.Venkatesh, M.K. Somashekar and H.P. Manjunath, MLCs R.Dharmasena, K.T. Srikantegowda and K.V. Narayanaswamy, MUDA Chairman D. Dhruvakumar, Deputy Commissioner D. Randeep, Police Commissioner Dr. A.Subrahmanyeswara Rao and others will participate, J.K. Grounds, **4 pm.**

Sadhana Mandira: Laghunyasa and Rudram classes by Acharya Swami Hamsananda, 'Sri Ramakrishna Krupa,' # 435, 6th Main, Vijayanagar 1st Stage, **4.30 pm;** Sri Ramana Jnana Kendra, near BGS Hospital, Kuvempunagar, **6 pm;** Shivananda Jnanalaya, next to Nadabrahma Sangeeta Sabha, JLB Road, **7.15 pm**.

Children's Literary Club: Talk on "Lord Krishna's Smartness" by Dr. R. Purnima, Director, Children's Literary Club, Government Girls Hostel, Adi Pampa Road, V.V. Mohalla, **5 pm.**

Akashavani Samskrutika Sangha, Akashavani-Mysuru: Kannada Utsava, performance by folk troupes, **5.30 pm;** Interaction on 'Importance of Organic Food,' **6 pm;** Kannada Songs, **6.30 pm;** Prize distribution, **6.40 pm;** Speech by chief guest Mandya MP Puttaraju, Centre Head Sunil Bhatiya presides, Programme Head H. Srinivas will be present, **6.50 pm;** Karnatak Classical Music by S. Shankar, accompanied by Mysore M. Nagaraj on violin and Tumkur B. Ravishankar on mridanga, Akashavani-Mysuru, Yadavagiri, **7 pm.**

Avadhoota Datta Peetha: Diamond Jubilee Year Celebrations of Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji, Nakshatra Ishti for the well-being of the society, Bhajans and Namasankeertana, Poundarika Rangastala, Ashrama premises, Nanjangud-Ooty Road, **6.30 pm.**

Sri Tyagaraja Sangeetha Sabha Charitable Trust: Vocal recital by Pradesha Saar, accompanied by Vidu. Veena Suresh on violin and Vid. Sudarshan on mridanga, Sri Lakshminarasimha Sri Gayathri Temple auditorium, Srirampura, **6.30 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (NOV. 16)

Sadhana Mandira: Laghunyasa and Rudram classes by Acharya Swami Hamsananda, Sadhana Mandira, 4th Cross, 1st Stage, Brindavan Extension, **6.30 am;** Sri Krishna Mandira, Chaitanya Bhavan, 6th Main, 4th Cross, Gokulam 3rd Stage, **7.45 am;** 'Kohinoor', Opp. Maruti Hotel, Shivaji Road, N.R. Mohalla, **10.30 am;** Chandramoulishwara Temple, V.V. Mohalla, **11.45 am;** 'Sri Ramakrishna Krupa,' # 435, 6th Main, Vijayanagar 1st Stage, **4.30 pm;** Sri Ramana Jnana Kendra, near BGS Hospital, Kuvempunagar, **6 pm;** Shivananda Jnanalaya, next to Nadabrahma Sangeeta Sabha, JLB Road, **7.15 pm**.

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Nanjangud Industries Association (NIA) and Department of Factories and Boilers, Industrial Safety and Health, Government of Karnataka, Mysuru Division: 55th one-day training programme on first-aid for industrial workers and supervisors, H. Suresh, Assistant Director of Factories, Industrial Safety and Health, Mysuru Division, will inaugurates, Hotel Shree Guru Residency, JLB Road, **9 am to 5.30 pm.**

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Sri Ramakrishna Ashrama: Swami Jnanayogananda speaks on 'Sri Durga Sapthashati,' Ashrama premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm.**

Wins silver in Karate

Meghana

Mysuru, Nov.15- Meghana R. Muthamma, a first year student of Jnanodaya PU College, Saraswathipuram, bagged silver medal in Karate in the State-level Sports Meet for PU students (2017-18) conducted by the Department of PU Education.

Weather Today

Sunny & Cloudy

High: 29°
Low: 17°

Tonight : Cloudy
C° : Low 17°
Tomorrow : Sunny & Cloudy
C° : High: 29° Low: 16°

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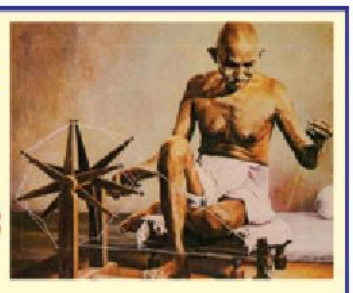
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